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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) has any proposal to set up Defence Research Centres in various parts of the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof including the estimated cost and the locations identified for the purpose; and

(c) the time by which the Research Centres are likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) No, Madam. However, Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) has recently established Research and Innovation Centre at IIT Madras Research Park, Chennai, which is aimed to provide an eco-system wherein faculties of IIT Madras, research scholars, students and DRDO scientists would work together on cutting-edge technologies.

(a) to (c): Does not arise.